




IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jan Wadstein *et al.*
Serial No.: 09/410,484 Group No. 1614
Filed: 09/30/99 Examiner: Webman, E.J.
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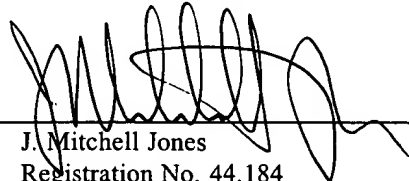
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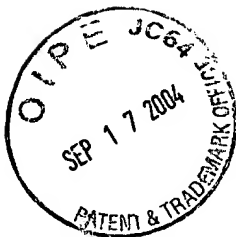
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